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Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

RE: Applicants: Dennis M. Pfister et al.  
Assignee: Sun Microsystems, Inc.  
Title: GAS FILTRATION AND STORAGE USING ACTIVATED  
CARBON/GRAPHITE FOAM MONOLITHS  
Serial No.: 10/611,496 Filed: June 30, 2003  
Examiner: Robert H. Spitzer Group Art Unit: 1724  
Docket No.: P-6948

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents for the response to the Office Action dated December 2, 2004 in the above application:

1. Return receipt postcard;
2. This Transmittal Letter (2 pages); and
3. Amendment (16 pages including one sheet of replacement drawings);

- ☒ No additional claims fees are required.  
☒ The additional claim fees have been calculated as shown below:

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 Serial No. 10/611,496  
 February 28, 2005

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

|  | Claims Remaining<br>after Amendment | Highest No.<br>Previously<br>Paid For | Present<br>Extra | Rate       | Additional<br>Fee |
|--|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------|------------|-------------------|
| Total Claims   | 46                                  | - 46                                  | = 0              | x \$50.00  | \$ 0.00           |
| Independent Claims   | 3                                   | - 3                                   | = 0              | x \$200.00 | \$ 0.00           |
| First filing of Multiple Dependent Claim (Enter \$290)                   |                                     |                                       |                  |            | 0.00              |
| Total of above Calculation   |                                     |                                       |                  |            | \$0.00            |
| Reduction by 50% for filing by Small Entity (Enter 0.5 for small entity) |                                     |                                       |                  |            | 1.0               |
| Subtotal   |                                     |                                       |                  |            | \$ 0.00           |
| Submission of Information Disclosure Statement Fee (enter \$180)         |                                     |                                       |                  |            | 0.00              |
| <b>TOTAL</b>   |                                     |                                       |                  |            | <b>\$ 0.00</b>    |

☒ Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: If an extension of time is required for timely filing of the enclosed documents after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered, Applicant(s) hereby petition for such an extension of time.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required for consideration of the enclosed documents, and to credit any overpayment of fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0553.

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on February 28, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,



Attorney for Applicant(s)

February 28, 2005  
 Date of Signature



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